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SUBJECT: NEW SPACE ENDURANCE RECORD (04.00.00)

FOR SCICOUN

1. ASSUMING THE SOYUZ 26 MISSION CONTINUES PAST MARCH 4,
5:34 AM MOSCOW TIME, THE SOVIETS WILL HAVE BROKEN THE
EXISTING SPACE ENDURANCE RECORD HELD BY THE US SKYLAB 4
CREW. PLEASE PASS THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM DR. ROBERT
FROSCHE, NASA ADMINISTRATOR, TO ACADEMICIAN A. P.
ALEKSANDROV, PRESIDENT OF THE SOVIET ACADEMY, AFTER THE
RECORD HAS BEEN BROKEN.

2. MARCH 4, 1978 04.00.00
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ACADEMICIAN ANATOLIY P. ALEKSANDROV
PRESIDENT
ACADEMY OF SCIENCES OF THE USSR
LENINSKY PROSPECT, 14
MOSCOW, V-71, USSR

DEAR ACADEMICIAN ALEKSANDROV:

CONGRATULATIONS ON SETTING A NEW RECORD FOR THE LONGEST

CONTINUOUS TIME IN SPACE FOR ONE CREW. PLEASE PASS OUR
BEST WISHES FOR A CONTINUED SUCCESSFUL FLIGHT TO THE
COSMONAUTS ROMANENKO AND GRECHKO.

WARM REGARDS,

DR. ROBERT FROSCHE
NASA ADMINISTRATOR

3. FYI: THE CREW OF THE US SKYLAB 4 IS ALSO SENDING
A CONGRATULATIONS CABLE TO THE COSMONAUTS. CHRISTOPHER

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